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Dear Mr. Jaffe:

We are writing to you today to urge you to support the petition to ban the forced molting of layer hens (docket 98 P-0203/CP). In the horrible world of factory farms, such a practice stands out as being especially cruel. At least make a humane start by supporting this petition. We thank you for whatever good you can accomplish.

Yours,

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